

Town of Boonville
May 12, 2025, Recessed Minutes
Harvey E. Smith Municipal Building

The following were in attendance at the 5/12/25 recessed meeting: Mayor Vaughn Benton, Commissioners Monica Craver, Zane Green, Kristin Johnson, and Greg Wagoner. Also in attendance were Finance Officer/Town Clerk Kim Wells, Police Chief Jeff Hobson, and Interim Public Works Director Jackson Craver. Mayor Pro-Tem Tim Driver was absent.

Mayor Benton called the meeting to order at 6:02 p.m.

Discussion followed on additions/deletions of the drafted Schedule of Fees.

The Board reviewed a Water/Sewer Rate study performed by NC Rural Water. The Board members plan to approve a five percent increase in rates due to the increasing cost of items and because there was no rate increase last fiscal year.

Discussion followed on letters received for donations.

Finance Officer/Town Clerk Wells presented the Board members a cost analysis of the proposed three percent, four percent, and five percent cost-of-living increases for employees. Discussion followed on expected cost-of-living increases proposed by neighboring municipalities and Yadkin County for their employees. The consensus of the Board members was to give employees a four percent cost-of-living increase.

As a recessed item from the regular meeting, Commissioner Johnson discussed with the Board members the proposed agreement with the Boonville Community Public Library.

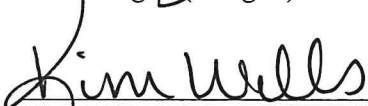
The Board members discussed the altitude valve from the recessed meeting. It was the consensus of the Board members to precede with the valve order since there is funding available in the current budget to cover the cost.

Discussion followed on the items needed and the date for the next budget workshop.

Commissioner Craver motioned to recess until June 3 at 5:30 p.m. Commissioner Wagoner seconded, and the motion passed unanimously at 7:17 p.m.



R. Devaughn (Vaughn) Benton, Mayor



Kim Wells, Finance Officer/Town Clerk